

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER
SEP 19 2005

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/680,923)
Filing Date: October 8, 2003)
Applicant(s): Peter Bongartz et al.)
Group Art Unit: 3679)
Examiner: G. Binda)
Title: Retainer Ring For Tripod)
Constant Velocity Joints)
Attorney Docket: 46107-0097)

Confirmation No. 7597

REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH
EXTENSION OF TIME; and
AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

MAIL STOP AF
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Advisory Action dated August 9, 2005 for which the period for response was set to expire on August 26, 2005. Applicants hereby request a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) to file this Amendment and Response and hereby authorize the Commissioner to charge Deposit Account No. 04-1061 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the appropriate fee. Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

Page 1 of 3